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Hon. Mitchell S. Goldberg U.S. Courthouse 601 Market Street Room 7614 Philadelphia, PA 19106

Re: Catlin Specialty Insurance Co. v. J.J. White, Inc., Sunoco, Inc., and Sunoco, Inc. (R&M), 14-cv-01255-MSG

Dear Judge Goldberg:

Pursuant to your Order of April 3, 2020 in the above matter, the parties write this joint letter to provide the information requested by that Order.

## **Trial Dates**

The parties propose the periods of October 5-15, 2020 or November 2-13, 2020.

## Remaining Discovery

The only remaining discovery is the depositions (and updates of expert disclosures) of each party's expert witnesses. The expert for Catlin is Dr. Harrison in San Francisco, California. The experts for the Sunoco and JJ White are Dr. Rubin in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and Dr. Natelson in Houston, Texas.

The deadline for expert discovery is July 20, 2020.

## **Mediation**

Both parties believe that a mediation either before a private mediator or Magistrate Judge Rice would be fruitful after the completion of the deposition of experts, and thus request a mediation before trial. The parties are currently conferring regarding a mediator and will further advise the Court if and when they have reached agreement.

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Should the Court need any additional information, the parties are available for a conference call with the Court and to respond to any questions or concerns the Court may have.

Very truly yours,

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